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Afrikakorps Fighting for its Life

Climax Reached in Desert Tank Battle

LONDON, Sunday. — The German Afrikakorps is to-night fighting for its life, foiled in its effort to break through to the sea. Smashed back from the East, it now is striving desperately to blast a path westward from the "burning hell" of the Knightsbridge battleground.

A cable late to-night from Ralph Walling, Reuter's Special Correspondent in Cairo, reported the news, and indicated the big supply problem facing the Germans, as the climax of the five-day old battle is fought over the desert rocks and scrub.

General Ritchie's armour stands between the Panzers and supplies from the sea.

British 25-pounders are preventing the passage of vital fuel and water, without which, Walling says, the Germans cannot last much longer, and the Royal Air Force is destroying their supply vehicles at the rate of 200 a day.

Cairo and London set a 48 hours' time limit on the present pace of this terrific battle, in which the Afrikakorps has already taken a "severe knock." —Press Association and Reuter.

The battle of "Knightsbridge" has now reached its climax after four days of incessant fighting.

Sunday's communiqué from Cairo said:—

"Fighting continued with increasing intensity yesterday in the area around Knightsbridge.

The enemy's armoured forces were unceasingly attacked by our land and air forces and suffered considerable damage. There was fierce fighting at gaps in our minefields which the enemy had made, but was able to use only with the greatest difficulty. The battle, which has been fought incessantly for four days, has reached its climax. The situation is not unfavourable."

CAIRO, Sunday.—The utter defeat of the Axis is the aim of the 8th Army in North Africa. An order of the day issued by General Ritchie to all ranks states:—

"We have now commenced a great battle. Much depends on us all. Great trials lie before us till this battle is won, as won it will be. But to win is not enough; nothing short of utter defeat of the enemy is sufficient, and this we and our sister Services will achieve. Great calls will be made on your strength, but I know you will meet them, as you have done before, with utter disregard of self in the common cause of achieving victory.—(Reuter.)

Within 48 hours we shall get the answer to this battle, it was stated in authoritative circles in London to-night. General Rommel's campaign does not seem to have gone according to plan. Fighting has been going on for four days in conditions of tremendous heat, and with little or no rest or sleep, because in a battle of this sort it is impossible to tell when or from which direction attack might come.

CAIRO, Sunday—General Auchinleck has sent a message to the 8th Army in Libya saying:—"Well done indeed, 8th Army. Stick it. Hang on to him. Never leave him. Don't let him get away. Give him no rest. Good luck to you all."—(Reuter.)

GERMAN REPORT

BERLIN, Sunday.—Berlin radio, quoting the German High Command, says that the fighting, in the course of the last week, has entered a new stage.

"On May 26 German and Italian units attacked the British positions in Marmarica, which resulted in a tank battle in the sectors of Bir Hakeim, El Gazala and El Adem, which is still continuing.

"Military installations of Tobruk, in the vicinity of the fortress, the desert railway, railway installations of Fort Capuzzo, the desert aerodrome of Gambut, and numerous British strong points were bombed with good results.

"The British lost on an average ten 'planes a day in last week's fighting, in which the German and Italian air forces showed complete superiority."—(Reuter.)

PARIS SHOOTINGS

POLICE AND CIVILIAN KILLED

Sunday.—Swiss Radio reported to-day that a bomb, hidden in a suitcase, exploded in a Paris café in the building of the Police Protectorate yesterday morning. One inspector of the Security Police and one waiter were killed and several persons injured.—(The Associated Press.)

VICHY, Sunday.—A Paris hotelkeeper, named Moulinier, living near the Place de la Republique, has been shot dead, says a report. Jean Gautherie, a carpenter, who was arrested, said he had killed Moulinier as he held him responsible for the execution of several of his friends. Moulinier was shot through the heart.—(Reuter.)

Later it was announced that three men had been arrested, and that "the identity of these individuals shows obviously the Bolshevist origin of the affair."

The communiqué stated that a number of men, who had obtained an entry into the premises of the "Eco" Store, were throwing stocks consisting of tinned goods and other provisions to women massed in front of the door. The police arrested the man, who seemed to be the ringleader of the affair. Just as the police with the arrested man arrived at the Rue Bourbon le Chateau shots were fired. One officer and one constable were fatally wounded. A second constable received bullets in the stomach, and two others were also hit. Reinforcements of police who came on the scene made it possible to overpower two of the assailants, one of whom was found to be armed with a revolver, bringing the total number of arrests to three.

The communiqué adds that M. Laval paid a visit to the bodieh of the police victims, as did also a number of high Paris officials.—(Reuter.)

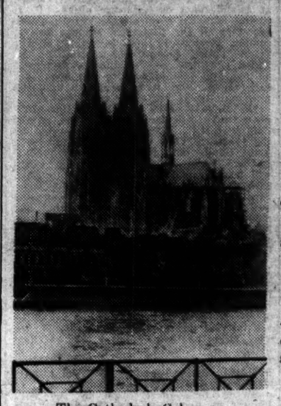
FUEL FOR JUNE-JULY

For the two-month period, June-July, no coal may be purchased by householders for ordinary domestic use, but permits for very limited quantities may be issued by the Department of Supplies to persons who are solely dependent for cooking purposes on cookers for which anthracite is the only suitable fuel. The turf ration for the two months' period outside the scheduled turf area has been reduced to one ton.

FRENCH DEATH SENTENCES

A father and his two sons have been condemned to death by a Montpellier (unoccupied France) Courtmartial on a charge of having killed a lieutenant of the police and a police constable.—(Reuter.)

1,000 BOMBERS ATTACK COLOGNE



The Cathedral, Cologne.

BIGGEST AIR RAID ON RECORD

THE Royal Air Force, in the world's biggest air raid on Saturday night, dropped bombs on Cologne for 90 minutes, at the rate of several tons in every six seconds, says the Press Association.

About 1,250 aircraft took part, including over 1,000 bombers, with a very high proportion of the biggest types, each of which can carry up to eight tons of bombs. In addition, every other Command of the Royal Air Force was engaged in diversionary raids to draw off the German defences.

It is estimated that about 3,000 tons of bombs were dropped.

This, the first four-figure raid ever to be carried out, is described by Mr. Churchill in a message to Bomber Command as but a "herald of what Germany will receive, city by city, from now on."

The British losses were 44, the heaviest suffered in a single raid.

RAPID ORGANISATION

The raid was planned by Air-Marshal A. T. Harris, Bomber Command Chief. He indicated the weight of the attack by telling the men that the force was "at least twice the size, and had more than four times the carrying capacity of the largest air force ever before concentrated on one objective."

Mr. Churchill disclosed that so masterly was the organisation behind the raid that the gigantic force of bombers was able to concentrate its attack in the short period of one and a half hours.

The attack was an "outstanding success," stated an Air Ministry communiqué. By dawn a pall of smoke 15,000 feet high was visible over the target.

Army co-operation 'planes helped to attack German aerodromes, as well as fighters which tried to intercept the bombers.

"In the Luftwaffe's heaviest raids on Britain about 500 'planes were used.

Britain's heaviest previous losses in a night's raid occurred on November 7th, when 37 'planes did not return from a raid on Berlin and other centres. This attack, however, was made in appalling weather conditions.

BRITISH COMMUNIQUE

An Air Ministry communiqué yesterday stated:—

"On Saturday night a force of considerably over a thousand bombers attacked targets in the Ruhr and Rhineland. Cologne was the main objective. Full reports are not yet available, but preliminary reports of the crews indicate that the attack was an outstanding success.

"By dawn the fires and smoke were visible from the coastline of Holland and reconnaissance early this morning reported a pall of smoke rising to 15,000 feet over the target.

"During this operation other aircraft of the Bomber Command and aircraft of the Fighter, Coastal and Army Co-operation Commands attacked enemy aerodromes and enemy fighters which attempted to intercept.

"Forty-four of our aircraft are missing from all these operations."

An Air Ministry communiqué last night said:—

"In last night's attack on Cologne three enemy aircraft were shot down by our bombers and a fourth was destroyed by our fighters over Holland."

CHURCHILL MESSAGE

Mr. Churchill has sent the following message to the Air Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Bomber Command:

"I congratulate you and the whole of the Bomber Command upon the remarkable feat of organisation which enabled you to dispatch over 1,000 bombers to the Cologne area in a single night, and, without confusion, to concentrate their action over the target into so short a time as one hour and a half. This proof of the growing power of the British bomber force is also the herald of what Germany will receive, city by city, from now on."

GERMAN REPORTS

Sunday's German communiqué said: "British bombers last night undertook a terror attack against the centre of the city of Cologne, causing great damage by high explosives and fire, particularly in the residential quarters, to several public buildings, including three churches and two hospitals.

"In this attack, directed exclusively against the civilian population, the British Air Force suffered very heavy losses. Night fighters and anti-aircraft artillery shot down 36 of the attacking bombers. In the coastal territory one more bomber was shot down by naval artillery.

"A night fighter unit, under Air-Marshal Kammhuber, scored its 600th air victory, Flight Lieutenant Streib his 25th, and Flying Officer Knacke his 20th air victory."—(Reuter.)

Luxembourg Radio declared—"The British will have to regret the German retaliation, which, no doubt, will soon follow."—(Reuter.)

BERLIN, Monday — The German radio, quoting "competent quarters" in Berlin, stated to-day that 111 civilians were killed in the Cologne raid. It was also claimed that fires were confined to attics and were "soon under control."

German military quarters described the British figure of the number of 'planes which took part in the raids as "fantastic," claiming that "only 70 British 'planes reached Cologne, and about a third of them were shot down."—(Reuter.)

FIRST OF ITS SCALE

Saturday night's raid was the first four-figure operation carried out by the Royal Air Force, says the Press Association. Upwards of 300 machines have been used in previous raids. In Germany's heaviest raids over Britain it is estimated that 500 aircraft were used.

Britain's previous highest losses in a night's raid were on Nov. 7, when 37 machines failed to return from a raid on Berlin, Cologne and Mannheim. That raid, the largest by the Royal Air Force up to that time, was made in appalling weather conditions. About half of the losses were due to the weather. Saturday night's attacks was the 107th on Cologne, which last was raided on the night of April 27.

The largest number of German night raiders shot down in a raid on Britain was 35, brought down in an attack on London on May 10 last year. Historic buildings hit by the raiders were the Houses of Parliament and Westminster Abbey.

Cologne, Germany's third largest city, is the industrial and railway centre of the Rhineland. Its defences are said to include 120 searchlights and many powerful anti-aircraft batteries.

Targets for British bombers in previous raids have included the Franz Clouth Rubber Works, the Gereon and Deutz railway yards, the Koln-Nippes Railway Works, and the large Kalk and Humboldt Deutz factories, which make aircraft and submarine engines.

Cologne has a population of 768,000, and its main industries are chemicals, synthetic oil, rubber and explosives. Recently the main railway station was badly damaged. From Cologne radiate at least ten main roads and half a dozen main railway lines, says Reuter. The city is a clearing house for waterborne traffic over Germany's canal system—widely used now that the railways are subjected to such great pressure. Large numbers of the civil population, apart from war workers, have already been evacuated from the Rhine-Ruhr area.

German Radio quoted the Berlin military spokesman as saying: "One Blenheim was brought down over Holland. A four-engined bomber crashed before reaching the German frontier. Many British bombers jettisoned their bombs before reaching their objective—the inner city of Cologne.—(Reuter.)

A further German High Command announcement over the German Radio stated that the British bombers came over Holland, "aiming at the industrial area of the Rhineland and Westphalia." German night fighters took up "e pursuit over German territory, and anti-aircraft guns opened heavy fire with guns of all calibres. Among the aircraft claimed to have been shot down were Vickers, Wellingtons, Hampdens, Blenheims "and several four-engined 'planes." A later Berlin announcement said that seventy-eight British 'planes had been shot down in the past week in raids on Cologne and Paris, and attacks over Dutch and Belgian territory.—(Reuter.)

HUMAN REMAINS FOUND IN BOG

OFFALY MYSTERY

STRIPPED naked and tied up in sacking, a dismembered body, believed to be that of Laurence Kirwan, twenty-nine years old Ballycloughan, Offaly, farmer, who disappeared on November 23rd last, has been found in a bog drain about a mile from where he lived. The discovery of the body, which is minus head, legs and arms, would seem to confirm the suspicions of the authorities that Kirwan was murdered, and brings to its closing stages a search which has occupied the police in the county for the last six months. Gardai officers from headquarters in Dublin during the week-end proceeded to Ballincor, Rahan, where the remains were found, and an intensive search has begun over a confined area for the limbs.

Vigorous and hard-working, Kirwan had farmed successfully on a back-water close by the Grand Canal, and a short time before his disappearance had purchased a motor car. On the evening of November 23rd, shortly after he had sold some stock at Tullamore fair, he told his workman that he had an appointment to keep in Tullamore. With Kirwan preparing his bicycle for the trip into town, where he was known to be keeping company with a girl, the workman left the Ballycloughan farm, and never saw his employer again. Kirwan did not keep the appointment.

BAFFLING SEARCH

Nine days later friends of Kirwan informed the police of the mysterious circumstances of his disappearance, and, preliminary investigations having shown that the young farmer had not reached Tullamore that night, the Gardai virtually eliminated the possibility of an accident by draining six miles of the canal which flows past his home. Suspecting a carefully planned murder, the police began an intensive search of the flooded area which surrounds Rahan, and in the course of three months combed thousands of acres, finally extending their activities as far as the banks of the Shannon. Baffled, but continuing their investigations on a restricted scale, the police made their first find at the end of April, when they unearthed Kirwan's bicycle in the hay loft of a Ballinsragh farmstead.

During the week-end the body was examined by Dr. J. McGrath, State Pathologist; Surgeon T. Meagher, and Dr. B. O'Hara, Tullamore. It is understood that the inquest to-day will be adjourned formally to enable the police to pursue inquiries.

ARCTIC CONVOY ATTACK

BERLIN CLAIMS MORE HITS

BERLIN, Sunday.—The German military spokesman, quoting a High Command report, to-day claimed that hits had been scored on or near four more ships by dive bombers in a renewed attack on the Russia-bound British convoy in Arctic waters.

The attack was made when the ships entered Kila Bay on Saturday. Soviet fighters formed protective screens and the escort was reinforced by Russian warships. One merchant ship of 10,000 tons showed a list, while a direct hit was registered on a 7,000-ton transport, which remained stationary. Earlier German claims said that up to Friday 13 ships had been sunk in this convoy.

A special announcement of U-boat successes, issued to-day from Herr Hitler's headquarters in honour of the Battle of Jutland, fought on May 31, 1916, states that submarines in the Western Atlantic had sunk a further 22 ships, totalling 106,000 gross registered tons. "Thus, in May, the submarine arm alone has sunk 140 ships, totalling 767,000 gross registered tons."—(Reuter.)

ADMIRAL AS PRISONER

ITALIAN CLAIM

ROME, Sunday. — A supplement to the Italian communique which claimed that "Admiral of the Fleet Sir Cowan (? Admiral of the Fleet Sir Walter Cowan) was a prisoner of war" stated that the Admiral had been in Egypt for about fifteen months. "At the moment of his capture he was with the Third Indian Brigade. During the war of 1914-18 he commanded a naval squadron in the Baltic Sea, and flew his colours in the battleship Princess Royal. He also commanded the Hood (42,000 tons), sunk in the present war by the German battleship Bismarck."

Admiral Sir Walter Cowan, the Press Association adds, is over 70, and began his fighting career nearly half a century ago. "At 70 I want to die on the battlefield, not in bed," he told an interviewer last July.

RAID "ALERT" IN LONDON

A warning was sounded in some London suburban districts early to-day. The all clear went after a short time.

High explosives and incendiary bombs were dropped on a town in South-East England. Casualties are feared.

BELFAST EXPLOSION

Houses in many districts in Belfast were shaken by an explosion which occurred on Saturday night, and was heard in all parts of the city. There was momentary alarm at a greyhound racing track, and many people left their seats in a suburban cinema. There was much discussion as to the nature of the explosion, many connecting it with large-scale civil defences to be held in the city.

Paris Radio reported last night that M. de Brinon, French Secretary of State, to-day received the Japanese Ambassador to France.—(The Associated Press.)

Tense moment at a fire in Drumcondra —waiting for a ladder.

GENERAL ELECTION RUMOURS

NO VITAL DECISION YET

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

LAST week the lobbies at Leinster House buzzed with rumours of an immediate general election. Some of these were so definite and emphatic and came from sources which ought to know, that many people were inclined to believe them. The net result of fuller investigation, however, showed that up to the present, at all events, no vital decision has been taken.

Mr. de Valera's Government will be obliged to take a decision within the next six months or so. The life of the present Dail will expire in June of next year; that is to say, it will have reached the period of five years stipulated by legislation, but this period may be extended by legislation for another two years, as the Constitution fixes the life of any Parliament at not more than seven years. Admittedly, there is nothing to prevent the Government, with its substantial majority, from passing a short Act prolonging the life of the Dail for another year or two—nothing, that is, beyond the fact that their doing so would be tantamount to a flagrant disregard of the first principle of democracy.

SOUNDINGS

Much of the sting of such an act would be removed if the other parties in the Dail agreed to such a step. There is reason to believe that tentative, if unofficial, soundings have already been made by the Government in this direction, and it was probably due to these that the rumours of last week gained currency. Certain it is that political groups in the House have been discussing the subject in private conference.

The undesirability of throwing the country into the throes of a general election at the present time is obvious to all. It would disrupt the political truce; it would divide into political factions bodies like the Local Security Force and other local defence organisations, which are now working in such harmony for the common good. If, then, there is to be a postponement of the election, it must be done by agreement.

The solution which will suggest itself to meet a situation fraught with much difficulty and danger is the formation of a National Government, in which all parties are represented. There are objections to such a proposal on all sides of the House, but the arguments in its favour are overwhelmingly strong. The onus of deciding rests entirely on Mr. de Valera and his Government. It will no longer be sufficient for the Taoiseach to say, as he has said on other occasions when asked to form a National Government, that "We are a National Government." The critical position of the country at the present time forbids the thought of a general election while the crisis lasts, and the only means of avoiding it, without danger to the State, should occupy the earnest attention of all parties at the earliest opportunity.

FINANCE BILL RELIEFS

IMPORTANT CONCESSIONS

The text of the Finance Bill, which is to implement the provisions of the Budget, contains important concessions.

One of these concerns assessment in respect of circumstances arising out of the present national emergency. If, in respect of any commodity which is essential to the State and cannot be imported, or if the commodity can be commercially produced here at present, but will cease to be so after the emergency, a person has erected buildings or acquired plant, he may apply to the Revenue Commissioners for a special allowance. The main purpose of this is to guarantee such persons against capital loss during or after the emergency.

The bill gives relief in respect of death duties on deaths caused by foreign armed forces. It is stipulated that the fatal injury should have occurred after 3rd September, 1939; that the State was not at war at the time; that the injury occurred within the State or territorial waters, and that it was caused directly or indirectly by an act of the armed forces of another country whether accidentally or intentionally, and "whether such act was done within or outside the State or the territorial waters thereof or the superincumbent atmosphere."

It applies to property passing on death to the wife or husband of the deceased, lineal ancestors or descendants of the deceased brothers and sisters and descendants of brothers and sisters. Where the value of the estate does not exceed £5,000 the duties may be altogether remitted. If over £5,000 the excess may be given concessions on a scheme outlined in the bill.

KINHWA A RUINED CITY

Renewed fighting flared up in Kinhwa, capital of Chekiang Province, when the Chinese, after evacuating the ruined city on Thursday, burst in again and attacked the Japanese in the streets, inflicting 700 casualties, states a Reuter Chungking despatch. Chungking states that they were forced to withdraw again, and they were also compelled to withdraw from Lanchi, 15 miles north-west of Kinhwa, on Friday, after the Japanese had suffered a thousand casualties in street fighting.

A new Chinese offensive has been launched in the Province of Anwhei and Hupeh to the north-west of Chekiang. In Anwhei they have occupied strategic points around Anking, on the Yangtse, and Hofei (Luchowfu), about ninety miles to the north, and are assaulting both cities.—(Reuter.)

TOKYO, Sunday.—A despatch from the Chekiang front to "Asahi" claims that, following the occupation of Kinhwa and Lanchi, Japanese forces continued the pursuit of the Chinese, and on Friday occupied Lungyu, over the Chientang River.

Another Japanese unit "pushed back" the Chinese 86th and 87th Group Armies and, on May 29, occupied Tangkihsien, another strategic point along the Hangchow-Kinagshan Railway.—(Reuter.)

MORE CZECHS SHOT

A Reuter message from Prague states that the Prague Radio announced last night the execution of twenty more Czechs, thus bringing to 82 the total so far shot following the attempt on Herr Heydrich's life. Those executed included two high officials of the Protectorate Ministry of Agriculture, who were charged with harbouring and aiding unregistered persons; a police sergeant, a lieutenant of the former Czech Army, and a twenty-five-year-old university student.

The £65,000 reward offered by the Germans for information about the two men wanted for the shooting of Herr Heydrich has, says Reuter, been increased by a similar amount by the Czech Protectorate Government, whose President, Emile Hacha, blames Dr. Benes, the Czech Premier in London, for the assault.—(Press Association.)

STOCKHOLM, Sunday—Heydrich's condition is unchanged, it was officially stated in Berlin to-day.—(Reuter.)

SWEEP OVER FRANCE

A British Air Ministry communiqué last night announced that Royal Air Force fighters carried out a number of offensive operations over occupied territory during the day.

Off the Dutch coast an armed trawler was set on fire and sunk and two other vessels were driven aground. In Belgium railway targets and barges were attacked, and in the evening sweeps were made over Northern France. In the course of these operations four German fighters were destroyed. Eight British fighters are missing.

Aircraft of Fighter Command carried out two further sweeps over occupied France in the evening, both in the Dieppe area, states Air Ministry News Service.

The Royal Air Force offensive during the week-end included attacks on North Sea shipping lines and another heavy attack on the Gnome-Rhone Aero Engine Works at Gennevilliers, near Paris. In a two-night blasting of convoys off the Frisian Islands Coastal Command claims to have crippled at least twelve ships, and probably more. On the second night (Friday) four ships were fired and another four hit.

From Friday night's operations, which also included the bombing of Cherbourg and Dieppe Docks, mine-laying and fighter raids on occupied territory, seven Bomber Command 'planes and six of Coastal Command are missing.

Seven out of fifty German bombers which set out to raid Britain last Friday night were shot down—several before they had crossed the coast—and less than half the force succeeded in getting inland. A few people were killed in coastal areas of East and South-east England, bombs being dropped at several places, but only slight damage was done.—(Press Association.)

POSTAL WORKERS' PROTEST

They made no excessive demands, nor did they ask anything that was unreasonable, said Mr. W. Norton, T.D., General Secretary of the Post Office Workers' Union, at a big meeting held in Parnell square yesterday. The meeting took place following a parade through the principal city streets of all sections of the Post Office Workers' Union. The parade was headed by the union band, and its purpose was to protest against the repudiation by the Government of the cost of living bonus agreement.

Mr. Norton said that if prices rose wages must rise. Trade unionism in Ireland must accept the challenge of the Government or go down in ignominy.

Mr. T. J. Moore presided.

Enormous Losses in the Kharkov Battle

Has Timoshenko Upset German Plans?

THE question asked in authoritative London circles last night was: Had Timoshenko upset the German plans for a spring offensive. At all events, two things were certain—that the Russian Marshal got in first and did great damage, and the long-promised German offensive had not yet matured.

These considerations are contained in despatches from the Press Association and Reuter, which state that, steadily pursuing to the end its declared objective of disrupting the German plan for a spring against the Rostov gateway to the Caucasus, the Red Army was still holding up von Bock's battering-ram launched at its flank south of Kharkov.

Throughout Saturday night German tanks and infantry were engaged in fierce defensive battles in the Izyum-Barvenkovo sectors, where they achieved local success, but without reaching the desired objective of stopping Timoshenko's operations on the main front.

Heavy Price Paid

In this great battle the losses have been enormous, and Moscow makes no attempt to disguise its own nor the price that had to be paid to carry out the carefully prepared offensive. The Russian losses were 5,000 dead and 70,000 missing, while, according to the Press Association and Reuter, the Germans lost 90,000 men killed or captured. In tanks, 'planes and guns, the Germans lost in this three weeks' offensive almost twice as much as the Red Army.

Timoshenko has gained a great success in pinning down large quantities of men and equipment in a battle of his own choosing in time and locale. The disclosure that 30 German infantry divisions and six tank divisions and other arms were concentrated in a Rostov sector explains the ferocity of the "wedge" the Germans were able to launch against the Russians' Donetz flank nearly a fortnight ago. In twelve days they have used up big reserves intended in all probability for a drive against the oil-bearing Caucasus.

MOSCOW, Sunday.—The Germans are doing their utmost to hold a key hill dominating part of the front between Izyum and Barvenkovo, south-east of Kharkov. Forced out of a hill leading to this height, they have now massed artillery and mortars, and from the rear are sending in mobile infantry, sometimes supported by tanks, to attack the Russians. On the same front the Soviet troops are still holding firmly to the river. In one three-day battle over 1,000 Germans were killed by Soviet mortar fire while they were attempting to cross over.—(Reuter.)

On the Kalinin front the Red Army, according to a Reuter report from Moscow, drove the Germans from a line of important heights, while a Berlin message states that German Radio claimed, on unspecified sectors of the Kalinin and central fronts, successful fighting in "swamps and flooded valleys," with bombers and dive-bombers attacking Soviet columns and troop concentrations behind the lines. Berlin also claims that "strong German bomber units" yesterday attacked Sebastopol, with "good effect," causing "great damage on military installations in the inner town and in the harbour." Moscow Radio earlier reported that a "considerable formation" of German 'planes unsuccessfully tried to raid the city. Only single 'planes got through.

TROOP TRAINS BLOWN UP

MOSCOW, Sunday. — A newly-formed guerrilla detachment in the Leningrad region has killed 1,600 Germans, including 23 officers, says a front line dispatch. Nearly 500 of the Germans were killed when three troop trains were blown up.

GERMAN COMMUNIQUE

BERLIN, Sunday.—A German communiqué says: "In the central and northern sectors of the Eastern front German local attacks were successful. In the rear areas fairly strong Russian bands were annihilated by a Hungarian detachment in a fortnight's fighting."

The communiqué went on to state that the Russians lost here, apart from a number of prisoners, 4,300 dead, 21 guns, 97 trench mortars and machine guns, as well as a quantity of rifles and other weapons and munitions. "In the Kharkov battle a Croat Regiment particularly distinguished itself."

The Russian communiqué states that during Saturday night in the Izyum-Barvenkovo direction their troops fought defensive engagements with enemy tanks and infantry. "In other sectors of the front nothing of importance took place."

4 U.S. SHIPS SUNK

A Reuter message from Washington states that the torpedoing of four ships in the Carribbean area was announced last night by the U.S. Navy Department. Three of the ships were merchantmen, one of medium size and the other two small. Survivors have been landed at east coast ports.—(Reuter.)

TAMPICO, Mexico.—At least four U.S. seamen were killed and others are missing, when fire, following at least two explosions, swept a U.S. merchantman in port here.—(Reuter.)

Mr. Oliver Lyttelton, British Minister of State, who is responsible for supply and production, is expected in Washington shortly for discussions regarding Allied production and supply with the President and other American leaders.

First social function of the newly-formed Dublin branch of the Old Foyonian Association (Bishop Foy School, Waterford). Left to right: R. L. Doupe, C. R. Graves, W. F. Watt, Professor W. B. Stanford, Mrs. Stanford.

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Take Notice that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, all persons having any claims against the Estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 24th December, 1941, are hereby required, on or before the 30th June, 1942, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor, to whom Probate was granted, forth of the Principal Registry, High Court of Justice, Eire, on the 19th day of February, 1942, and in default thereof the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 20th day of May, 1942.
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ASTOR.—Two Continental Films, the Swiss "Arophon" Production, "THE IMMORTAL SONG," at 3.5, 5.16, 7.27, 9.38. Also Pathé-Natan presents "A VISIT TO LOURDES," at 2.35, 4.46, 6.57, 9.8

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE (EGGS) ACT, 1939.
The Minister for Agriculture has appointed the number 47 as the CODE MARK to be applied to Eggs tested at Wholesalers' premises or examined at Retailers' premises during the period from 1st June to 6th June, 1942 (both dates inclusive).
D. TWOMEY, Secretary.
N 3532 W.H.Co.

EMERGENCY POWERS ORDER, 1942.
The Minister for Supplies has made an Order entitled the Emergency Powers (No. 165) (Rationing for June and July, 1942) Order, 1942, restricting the purchase and delivery on sale of coal throughout the country and of turf outside the scheduled (turf) area during the two-monthly period of June and July, 1942. Copies of the Order will be on sale as soon as possible.
Under this Order no coal intended for domestic use may be purchased, sold or delivered on sale anywhere within the State during the months of June and July, 1942, except under and in accordance with a permit issued by the Minister for Supplies. Permits will only be granted in the most exceptional circumstances and where it is clearly established that turf cannot be used.
Outside the scheduled (turf) area the Order fixes the maximum amount of turf which may be purchased for domestic use during the period commencing 1st June and ending 31st July, 1942, at one ton.
The Minister may grant permits under the Emergency Powers (Control of Fuel) Order, 1941, to hospitals, institutions and other large users of fuel for domestic purposes to purchase coal or turf in excess of this quantity.
Where a householder can establish that he is solely dependent for cooking purposes on an anthracite cooker in which no other fuel can be used, permits may be issued for the purchase of the minimum quantities of anthracite coal necessary to maintain the cooker. Applications for permits from any other class of householder cannot be considered.
JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.
Department of Supplies,
May 1942.
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COIMISIUN NA STAT-SHEIRBHISE.
Prospective Candidates for the Open Competitive Examinations to begin in July, 1942, for posts as—
(a) JUNIOR EXECUTIVE OFFICER (Male or Female); (b) JUNIOR CLERK (Male or Female) in the OFFICES OF THE SUPREME COURT AND THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE; (c) CLERICAL OFFICER AND TAX OFFICER (Male or Female), are reminded that the latest time for acceptance of completed Forms of Application for admission is:—
(a) and (b) 5.15 p.m. TUESDAY, 9th JUNE, 1942:
(c) 5.15 p.m. WEDNESDAY, 17th JUNE, 1942.
Regulations, Syllabuses and Application Forms are obtainable free from the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin.
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EMERGENCY POWERS (NO. 165) ORDER, 1942.
CLOSING OF MILL.
The Minister for Industry and Commerce gives Notice to all whom it may concern that he has, under date 20th May, 1942, made an Order, under Article 9 of the above-named Order, directing that milling shall not be carried on at:
Mr. PATRICK O'FARRELL'S MILL, situated at Singland, Co. Limerick.
The mill in question has now been closed down.
Department of Industry and Commerce.
29th May, 1942. W.H.Co.

LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION.
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Application forms for, and particulars of, the above-named post may be obtained from the Secretary of the Commission, 45 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin. SALARY SCALE:—£300-£25-£400 a year. MINIMUM AGE LIMIT—35 years on 1st May, 1942. ESSENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS:—Each candidate must (a) have ten years' experience in the practice of his profession, at least seven years of which have been devoted to the specialised practice of obstetrics and gynæcology, (b) hold the degree of M.A.O. or the Fellowship or Membership of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynæcologists or possess an equivalent qualification.
LATEST DATE FOR RECEIVING COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS:—23rd June, 1942.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CO. WESTMEATH COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE.
APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY INSTRUCTOR IN POULTRY-KEEPING AND BUTTERMAKING.
The above-named Committee require the services of a Fully Qualified Instructor in Poultry-Keeping and Buttermaking for a period not exceeding six months reckoned as from the 24th June, 1942.
Preference will be given to candidates with a knowledge of Irish.
Salary at rate of £100 per annum, together with a Bonus related to Cost of Living, which will be payable at rates determined from time to time. A maintenance allowance will be payable at the rate of £40 per annum. Expenses of locomotion also allowed at the rates fixed by the Committee.
Applications, stating age, training, native county, etc., should be lodged with the undersigned not later than the 8th June, 1942.
The appointment will be made at a meeting of the Committee to be held on the 18th June, and will be subject to confirmation by the Minister for Agriculture.
By Order.
M. CORCORAN,
Secretary of Committee.
County Buildings, Mullingar.

NATIONAL MATERNITY HOSPITAL,
HOLLES STREET, DUBLIN.
Applications are invited from ex-Assistant Masters of the above hospital for the position of Visiting Assistants. Conditions may be had from the Honorary Secretary. Applications to be received on or before Wednesday, 10th June.

ST. COLUMBA'S COLLEGE.
In the present circumstances the usual St. Columba's Day celebrations will not be held. The Old Columban Cricket Match will be played on the Wednesday, the 3rd June. The Warden will be glad to welcome Old Columbans.

BOOKMAKER'S NOTICE.
TAKE NOTICE that I, JAMES J. LONG, 302 Blarney Street, Cork, do intend to apply to the Supt., Garda Siochana, McCurtain Street, Cork, for a Bookmaker's Licence (Course only).
JAMES J. LONG.

OBITUARY

MR. HUGH BRADY

The death has taken place at the age of 62 of Mr. Hugh Brady, chief crime reporter of the *Daily Mail*, and one of the best known characters in Fleet street. Mr. Brady, who was born in Dublin, and was a well-known runner in his youth, began his association with newspapers as a linotype operator on the *Freeman's Journal*. He went to London as an operator on the staff of the *Daily Mail*, and joined the British Army on the outbreak of the Great War. A natural flair for descriptive writing stood him in good stead, for some contributions he sent back from the front captured the fancy of the late Lord Northcliffe and led to his subsequent appointment as crime reporter. During his long service as such, Mr. Brady enjoyed the confidence of the authorities at Scotland Yard, and was thus able to secure exclusively for his newspaper the story of many famous cases in criminal history.

DUBLIN SCOUTS' RALLY

The Dublin Boy Scouts' Association held a very successful annual rally and sports on Saturday last at Lansdowne road, Dublin.
The Drogheda Grammar School Scout Pipe Band played during the afternoon.
Displays of physical training, semaphore Morse and international code signalling, tent-pitching and games formed a representative programme.
The following received medals of merit:—D.S.M., F. E. Bramhell; G.S.M., J. R. Briggs; D.C.M., Miss L. Symmes; S.M., J. Connell.
Certificates of Merit—S.M., P. T. Ellis; S.M., C. E. Harris.

Irish Times

MONDAY, JUNE 1, 1942.

Cologne

For the first time in history more than one thousand aeroplanes took part in a bombing raid on Saturday night, when, taking advantage of a full moon, the British Bomber Command delivered on Cologne and its environs an attack that established a new record in aerial warfare. It seems that some 1,250 aircraft participated in this ambitious operation. There were about one thousand bombers, and the remainder of the fleet was composed of protective machines, including a number of night fighters. The whole raid lasted for only ninety minutes. Cologne was the main objective; but other regions in the Ruhr Valley and the Rhineland also were attacked, and surrounding aerodromes came in for particular attention. Some of the bombing machines carried loads of as much as eight tons of high explosives. It is stated that at least three thousand tons of bombs were dropped during the hour and a half when wave after wave of bombers flew over the area; and the German reports admit that substantial damage was done. The attacking force lost forty-four machines, or less than five *per cent.* of the total, and the raid is described in London as "an outstanding success." Citizens of Eire, living under the shelter of neutrality, can have no conception of the devastation that must have been caused by this raid. On one occasion, precisely twelve months ago yesterday, two comparatively small bombs fell in the city of Dublin, and the North Strand still bears witness to the wrecking power of high explosives. What must have been the effect of three thousand tons of bombs on the city of Cologne? According to British estimates, the greatest number of German aircraft that ever attacked an English city did not exceed five hundred, and the average was considerably smaller. The imagination is staggered at the horror of it all. Cologne, the third city in Germany, has nearly eight hundred thousand inhabitants. It is densely populated, and, while it is an industrial centre of prime importance, it also possesses many buildings of great beauty—notably, its fine Gothic cathedral, probably the most magnificent of its type in the world. War, however, is a grim business nowadays; and there is every reason to fear that it is about to become even grimmer. In a message of congratulation to the Bomber Command, Mr. Winston Churchill declared yesterday that the raid on Cologne was "a herald of what Germany will receive, city by city, from now on." Evidently, the main object of such large-scale raids is strategic—to paralyse Germany's war production in the first instance, in order to relieve the strain on Soviet Russia. Previous experience, not only in Great Britain, but even in the days of the Spanish Civil War, proved fairly conclusively that air raids, while inevitably causing a certain amount of terror, do not, in themselves, tend to break civilian *moral;* but, of course, the raid on Cologne exceeds in intensity anything that was experienced either in England or in Spain. Whether or not the Germans will retaliate remains to be seen. Recent attacks on Bath, Exeter and Norwich followed British raids in Augsburg, Rostock and Lübeck, and there is no reason to suppose that the *Luftwaffe* will not try to exact revenge for Cologne. On the other hand, it seems to be fairly certain now that Great Britain's striking force in the air is superior in numbers to that which Germany has available for operations in the West. Throughout the winter American bombers have been arriving steadily in England. Great Britain's own production has increased enormously, and the mere fact that more than a thousand bombers can be employed in a single night is significant. Be that as it may, there seems to be no doubt that the war in the air is about to be intensified to a degree that would have been regarded as fantastic when hostilities began. It is an appalling prospect, not alone for the belligerents, but for the entire world. The heritage of two thousand years of Christian civilisation is being annihilated systematically, and the tragedy of it is that mankind seems to be powerless in the face of its own folly.

India's Choice

Mr. Gandhi announces that he is considering a new movement. He has given no hint of its nature or objects, and one is not even aware whether it is concerned with the possibility of a Japanese invasion of India or deals with more remote contingencies. The odds, however, surely are that it, at least, will seek to enshrine a "short-term" policy for his followers. Mr. Gandhi's attitude since the failure of Sir Stafford Cripps's mission and of the British Government's plan for an Anglo-Indian settlement has entailed the complete reversal of his former policy. Until a month or so ago his sympathies were, by and large, with Great Britain and her Allies. He regarded Britain, to be sure, as the everlasting and ultimate enemy, freedom from whom must be the unchanging goal of Indian nationalism; but he made no secret of his dislike and fear of totalitarianism, and proclaimed it in many speeches, articles and interviews. Since Sir Stafford Cripps's departure he has declared himself the sworn foe of England: the other belligerents, as it were, have ceased to matter, and the only two with which he professes the slightest sympathy are China and the Soviet Union. He does not suggest, however, that the people of India ought to submit tamely to invasion by the Japanese. They must not co-operate in any degree, according to his view, with the British; for that matter, they must not fight; the only weapon that they may employ is that of "passive resistance"—which, in effect, means the denial of any assistance, in any shape or form whatsoever, to the invader. It may be that Mr. Gandhi proposes to formulate these policies in his new movement. He has been discussing it with Mr. Jawaharlal Nehru, and describes their talks as friendly, but a great gulf separates the outlook of the two leaders. Mr. Nehru is as ardent a nationalist and as steadfast an opponent of Great Britain as the Mahatma himself; but he takes a very different attitude in regard to Japan. Mr. Nehru, like his old chief, declines to co-operate with the British military authorities, although he would put no obstacles in their way; but he believes very strongly that the Japanese ought to be fought. He would like to see a citizen army of a hundred million Indians—Hindu, Moslem and all the rest—pledged to defend their country; and only a few days after the negotiations collapsed he implied that, if they had turned out differently, the formation of such an army would have been under way there and then. At variance with both leaders is Mr. Rajagopalachari, the ex-Premier of Madras, who has made so bold as to argue that, however Britain may have behaved, the immediate enemy is Japan, and the immediate necessity is to defend India against her. Mr. Rajagopalachari has been repudiated by the Congress Party, but there is evidence to show that his views have gained a certain amount of respect, and that his attitude has been strengthened by the admission that Burma has fallen and that the Japanese are at the very gates of India. Whatever the Congress leaders may decide to do, they must do without further delay. Whether their policy is to be passive or active resistance, it cannot be put into practice in twenty-four hours or so—and there is not, as yet, any strong reason to assume that, because the Japanese have opened a new offensive against Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, they have abandoned the thought of an assault upon India.

THE Duchess of St. Albans has arrived in Dublin from Newtown Anner, Co. Tipperary.

Viscountess Powerscourt and Lady Maffey attended the Dublin Boy Scouts' Association annual rally and sports at Lansdowne road on Saturday last.

The American Minister and Mrs. David Gray, accompanied by Mr. George E. Allen and Dr. D. P. O'Brien, American Red Cross representatives, were entertained to luncheon on Saturday last by the President of the High Court and Mrs. Conor Maguire, at their residence, Ashurst, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

Mrs. Graham Toler has returned to Durrow Abbey, Tullamore, from Dublin.

Miss Bagnall has arrived in Dublin from Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Charteris has returned to Cahir Park from England.

The Lady Oranmore and Browne has gone to England for a few weeks.

Mr. Osmond Dixon has left Cloghereen, Foxrock, to spend the summer at Enniskerry.

The engagement is announced, and the marriage will take place very quietly in June, of Robert James, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Chillingworth, Baily, Co. Dublin, and Eileen Doris, fourth daughter of the late Dr. R. H. Cox and Mrs. Cox, of Hawthornden, Howth.

CAPTAIN G. F. CORDY-SIMPSON AND
MISS P. J. MacGILLYCUDDY.

The engagement is announced between Captain George Fitzroy Cordy-Simpson, 3rd Carabiniers, son of the late Major Roger Cordy-Simpson and of Mrs. F. Bullock-Marsham, Home Farm, Shrivenham, Berks, and Patricia June, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony MacGillycuddy, Flesk Castle, Killarney, Co. Kerry.

Dr. Merrin will be away from Mount Haigh, Dun Laoghaire, for about ten days.

Margaret McClure wishes to notify her clients that she is retiring from business at the end of June.

Dr. T. H. Denny Townsend will be absent from 14 St. Patrick's Hill, Cork, for three weeks.

Surgeon J. C. Flood has left town until 10th June.

Dr. C. R. Moore has returned to 2 Duncairn terrace, Bray.

Dr. R. A. Reynolds has returned to 35 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Dr. de Búrca will be absent from 4 Lower Fitzwilliam street for one week.

A further collection of Summer Hats has arrived at Switzers—simple, lovely styles—and, characteristic of all the best Hats—they are exceptionally good fittings.

A novel collection of Summer Frocks has arrived from London's leading Couturieres at Miss Doran's Salons, Dawson street. Also Millinery, Dainty Blouses, Jumpers and all accessories for smart wear.

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BOOK CENSORSHIP

Well-known writers, journalists and university men took part in an open discussion on "The Censorship of Books in Ireland," held by P.E.N. (Dublin Centre) at Jury's Hotel last Saturday. Mr. Austin Clarke (President, Irish P.E.N.) was in the chair, and the large attendance included representatives from other Societies. Letters expressing inability to be present were received from the Minister for Justice (Mr. Gerald Boland) and the following members of the Censorship Board—The Rev. Father Camac, of the Pro-Cathedral; Count Denis J. Coffey, Professor Fearon, T.C.D.; Mr. Williams, N.U.I.

All speakers agreed that the present administration of the Censorship of Publications Act shows a lack of common-sense, fairness and conscientiousness. The works of famous writers, scholars and scientists are regularly placed on the banned lists, and the majority of present-day Irish writers cannot be read in their own country. It was agreed that a Council of Action, drawn from various literary and learned societies, should be established in order to inquire into the present methods of book censorship in the country, and to deal with cases of injustice and misinterpretation of the Act.

IRISH WILLS

Mr. William John Fitzgerald, of Greenfield, Strabane, Co. Tyrone, formerly of Caragh Lake, Co. Kerry, and Ashfield Park, Co. Tyrone, who died on March 13th, 1941, left £35,719.

Mr. Randal Smyth, M.B., Sandford Lodge, Ranelagh, Dublin, who died on the 25th February last, left £14,804.

Mr. Peter Billington, of Edenvale, Swandtown, Belfast, who died on December 6th last, left £25,702.

Film Notes

Wedded Blitz

By Our Cinema Correspondent.

"HIGH VOLTAGE LOVE," says the advertisement of **Manpower** (Adelphi), but die Dietrich as a low-intension battery-ram pick-up is an old record, super-het., in these days, when we expect an i get, no less than the super-het. A pity, because she sets better than before, and it may not be her fault if all they can think of in directing sex-appeal is to turn on the volume louder and louder. I remember "Song of Songs" years ago with happiness. Ed. G. Robinson, of course, is the manpower, and Geo. Raft his cunning friend. They belong to an electric cable maintenance gang, and the wires cross, causing the eternal tragedy and somebody is burned up, if not us. Alan Hale, as a bluff, peculiarian liar, seems to me the best actor, but all the others certainly come through when their material lets them, and then the picture comes to life. I have come to the conclusion that the reason American men wear long pants from the skin out is to try and persuade themselves that they are adults.

Damon Runyon can stand the screen. **Tight Shoes** (Carlton) does not, of course, contain the subtler flavours of his written style but a lot of it is there, and his delightfully inconsequential treating of gangsters and their molls, which one was so afraid would film heavily, is well retained. Binnie Barnes, Leo Carillo and company burlesque from the start, with the lightest whimsy, the whole world of tough guys, their tougher dames, and all the law and the sock-its. The story is better untold.

"Almost Married" (from the screen play by Hugh Wedlock, Jr.) is a supporting comedy which is really a comedy. We have all seen before the couple who are married by wrongful publicity, but without any ceremony; and how they have to hate each other for reels and reels before they find out that the great heart of the public is always right, or, at least, the newspapers are. But this is funny, all the same, all the time, and June Frazee is a fresh, charming young thing, with a fresh, charming way of singing.

We Were Dancing (Savoy) is a bit like that, too, Noel Coward or not. I am tired of Melvyn Douglas as an irresistible, eligible young bachelor or divorcee. Not that he has lost any of his charm, but I have long accepted the fact, and do not think they can go on and on making films about it. Norma Shearer I welcome back with real pleasure. She is a delicious, naughty little mouse, with such spit and polish! These two fall in love at sight at a reception before her marriage to a steady young Lee Bowman. They are impoverished European aristocrats, living on their wits. The wit is not very noticeable, but Norma Shearer brings an amazing virtuosity into her portrayal of overpowering love. They marry, divorce, and—can you guess. If these are plots I must be an allotment.

But there is a grand, funny, coloured cartoon of the conducting of an animal orchestra—a fantasy on fantasia, perhaps—which is worth seeing in itself, and I am afraid another comedy which, to me, anyway, was a tragedy.

The Immortal Song (Astor) is a Swiss film, sound-tracked (and side-tracked) in English. This is a simple tale, slow-moving, slow-speaking, slow-ending. Paul Richter is a fine-looking fellow who, because he is conscripted by Napoleon, has to elope with his girl instead of marry. They live on a mountain—and there are a few wonderful photographs of an avalanche. Homeless, they go to a stable, because there is no room for them in the inn. And the village priest composes "Silent Night, Holy Night." All this is homespun out to the point of imbecility. "A Visit to Lourdes," on the other hand, is a brisk, business-like film of the Shrine, with faithful and erratic fragments of Mass and Cardinal MacRory. A modern pilgrim's progress, no one could be but touched by the devotion of the pilgrims.

Highland Fling, though it stages the old feud between law and disorder, is out of the ordinary, because Arthur Kennedy is always a persuasive gangster and convict; Brenda Marshall, his wife until she found out where the money came from, is a likeable heroine, and because Slim Summerville is in it for fun. William Lundigan, too, a new handsome hero, should be seen more often in the future. All that does not explain the touches of originality throughout and the excitement.

Rise and Shine (Metropole)—George Murphy, Linda Darnell, and Jack Oakie in a rousing, musical comedy.

Sundown (Corinthian)—Gene Tierney, George Sanders, and Bruce Cabot, in an exciting story of black and white Africa.

Ride 'Em, Cowboy (Grafton)—Abbott and Costello's best film.

China Seas (Capitol)—Gable, Harlow, Beery, Benchley, Smith.

Week-end in Havana (Regal Rooms)—Carmen Miranda, John Payne, Alice Faye. Colourful.

Green Hell (Green)—Joan Bennett, Douglas Fairbanks, jun.; also Lanny Ross, in "The Lady Objects."

The Ex-Mrs. Bradford (Queen's).

Down Mexico Way (Theatre de Luxe)—Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette. Also Wendy Barrie, Philip Terry, in "Public Enemies." Wednesday: Walter Huston, Walter Brennan, in "The Man Who Came Back."

Female Correspondent (Regent)—Herbert Marshall, Virginia Bruce. Also Anita Louise, in "Phantom Submarine." Thursday: John Warwick, in "My Wife's Family." Also "Emergency Landing."

They Met in Bombay (Pavilion)—Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell. Thursday: Sonja Henie, John Payne, in "Sun Valley Serenade."

Judy Goes to Town (Astoria)—Judy Canova, Francis Lederer, Slim Summerville. Thursday: Gene Autry, Smiley Burnette, in "Down Mexico Way." Also "Public Enemies," Wendy Barrie, Philip Terry.

ON THE WIRELESS

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IRISH PROGRAMME

6.0—Historical Picture. 6.5—Sgeal: "Yanni"—Niocias Toibin. 6.25—Cuirm Cheoil le Laisdi Sg3o 'n stiurn ag Eibhlin Ni Bhaoighill. 6.40—Stock Exchange Sports Results, Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"According to Cocker"—Comedy by Philip Callan. 7.25—St. Laurence O'Toole Pipe Band. 7.40—"Seainin no Eachtrai Mic Mi-Rialta"—An Seabhac do cheap. Diarmuid O hAimhin do chur i n-eireamhaint do'n Radio. 8.10—Radio Orchestra, May Devitt (soprano). 9.0—"Poems Old and New"—Presented by Austin Clarke. 9.20—Cait Pleimeann (contralto). 9.30—"Sonata for Viola and Piano in C sharp minor, O.P. 37." 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Ceolmony Hia's. 10.35—"Thro' Erin's Isle." 10.40—Light Music.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—Prayers. 7.0—News. 7.15—Kitchen Front. 7.20—Mixed Choir of Recorus. 8.0—Quintet. 8.30—Tuly on the Job. 8.45—Organ. 9.0—Schools. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Schools. 11.20—Orchestra. 12.0—News. 12.30—"From the New World." 12.50—Schools. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Orchestra. 3.0—"Up From the West Country." 3.15—Orchestra. 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—London Summer Concerts. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"The Human Body." 7.0—"The Stones of Drury Lane." 7.30—Jaci Payne. 8.0—News. 8.20—"Japan Wants the Earth." 8.50—"Floor Show." 9.20—Violin Sonata. 9.45—News in Gaelic. 9.50—Gramophone Records. 10.15—"And So To Bed." 10.30—Maurice Winnick. 11.0—News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—Records. 6.0—News. 6.15—Records. 6.30—Recordis of June, 1940. 7.0—News. 7.15—Records. 8.0—Quintet. 8.30—Carroll Gibbons (recording). 8.45—Organ. 9.0—B.B.C. Revue Chorus. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Organ. 10.15—Billy Ternent. 11.0—Quintet. 11.30—Break for Music. 12.0—News. 12.15—"The Glorious First of June." 12.30—Band. 1.0—Piano and Strings. 1.20—Joseph Lewis Orchestra. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—"The Canadians Entertain." 3.0—"I Sing to You." 3.30—"Grand Slam." 4.0—"Small Change." 4.15—"Ack-Ack, Beer-Beer." 5.0—News. 5.30—"Command Performance." 6.0—2250 Red Cross Radio Contest. 6.30—"Rats." 7.0—Fred Hartley and his Music. 7.20—"I am an Aircraft Designer." 7.30—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. 8.0—News. 8.30—"Into Battle." 8.40—Sandy's Half-Hour. 9.0—Canadian News-Letter. 9.15—Memories of Musica' Comedy. 9.45—Close down

DUBLIN ORDINATIONS

The Order of the Priesthood was conferred by the Most Rev. Dr. McQuaid, Archbishop of Dublin, at the Trinity Ordinations in the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, on Saturday, on the Rev. James Desmond Hastible, the Rev. Gerald Healy, the Rev. G. Diffney, the Rev. Wm. Martin, the Rev. Patrick O'Kane, the Rev. James McNamee, Holy Cross College, Clonliffe; the Rev. Peter O'Flynn, C.M., the Rev. Patrick Dunning, C.M., St.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

MAC AODHAGÁIN—Ar an 25ú lá de mí na Bealtaine, ag Cis Danaitpanair Spáid Haipce, rugadh mac do Dhomhnaiz Mac Aodhagáin t-Ó'Sinnéoi.

AIKEN—May 25, 1942, at Hatch street Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aiken, a son.

McKENNA—May 25, 1942, at 15 Lower Hatch street, to Mr. and Mrs. McKenna, Rockmount, Finglas, a son.

SULLIVAN—May 25, 1942, at Tivoli Nursing Home, to Eveline, wife of Cecil F. Sullivan, a daughter.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

PROLE and WARREN—June 1, 1892, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Dublin, by Rev. R. S. Collins, Joseph Prole and Sarah Frances Warren.

DEATHS.

ACRES—Margaret Ethel, third daughter of W. H. and E. M. Acres, Rockford Cottage, Blackrock. Funeral from hospital, Dean's Grange, 11.30 this (Monday) morning. "With the Lord."

BARKER—At Ballindoolin, Edenderry, suddenly, John Barker. Funeral to Durrow Church to-day (Monday), 1 o'clock, from Ballindoolin."

DOYLE—May 31, 1942, at his residence, Weston," Quinsboro' road, Bray, Denis Doyle. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed this (Monday) evening at 6.30 to Church of the Most Holy Redeemer, Bray. Funeral to-morrow Tuesday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, to St. Peter's Cemetery, Little Bray.

FAWCETT—May 27, 1942, at 13 Clarinda Park East, Kingstown, Aileen Lucy, only daughter of the late George and Elizabeth Fawcett, of Monte Video, Roscrea. Funeral arriving Roscrea Station 12.30 p.m. (Monday).

HEARNE—May 30, 1942, at "Lansdowne," Broadmark road, Rustington, Sussex, Emily Patricia (Pat), younger daughter of the late Henry Eager Hearne, of Dublin, and beloved sister of E. J. Fraser Hearne, of Rustington. "A life of loving service for others."

JONES—May 31, 1942, at her residence, Granite House, Ballsbridge, Dublin, Isabella Anna Jones, in her 94th year. Funeral private. No flowers. "So He giveth His beloved sleep," Ps. 127 : 2.

JONES—May 24, 1942, at her residence, Portland House, Melville street, Ryde, Nell, loving and devoted wife of David J. Jones, formerly of 28 Pearse street, Dublin. Deeply regretted.

McCLELLAND—May 13, 1942 at Nakuru, Kenya, William Arthur, son of the late W. J. McClelland, of Clonmel; also his son, David, now reported killed in Somaliland, August, 1940, aged 19.

MURISON—May 31, 1942, at 6 Palmerston Gardens, Rathmines, Dublin, Jessie, widow of Alexander A. Murison, late of Dunmore Park, Kilkenny. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), arriving at St. Canice's Cathedral at 1 p.m. (S.T.).

O'LOUGHLIN—May 30, 1942, John Joseph, beloved husband of Margaret O'Loughlin, 25 Marlborough road, Donnybrook. Funeral to Glasnevin, after 10 o'clock Mass, this morning. R.I.P.

RAMAGE—May 29, 1942, as result of accident, Alan S. W., Second Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, aged 19 years, only son of William and Nora M. Ramage, Laputa, Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal. Funeral to Muillinashee on arrival of 3.15 train at Ballyshannon to-morrow (Tuesday), 2nd June.

WALSH—May 30, 1942, at Elmfield, Wexford, Kathleen Mary, beloved wife of Thomas P. Walsh, R.I.P. Funeral from the Church of the Immaculate Conception to St. Iberi's Cemetery to-day (Monday) at 12 noon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 2.

IN MEMORIAM.

BONAPARTE-WYSE—In loving memory of Andrew Nicholas Bonaparte-Wyse, M.A., C.B.E., C.B., K.M., died June 1st, 1940. R.I.P.

BOWER—First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear brother, Michael, who passed away June 1st, 1941. Sadly missed. "Till the Resurrection Morn."

FANNIN—In ever-loving memory of Mother, Tom, and Father. "For those we love within the veil we thank Thee, Lord."

GILLESPIE—In loving memory of dear Effie, called Home 1st June, 1936. "All pensive memories as we journey on, Longings for vanished smiles and voices gone."

HUNTER—In affectionate remembrance of Charles Hunter (Charlie), who passed away at his residence, Newrath Bridge, on 31st May, 1940.

McARDLE—Second Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear uncle, Eugene McArdle, late Managing Director, H. Williams and Company, Dublin, died June 1st, 1940. Masses offered. Inserted by his nephew, J. J. Q.

PALLIN—In loving memory of my dear wife, Annie, called Home on May 31st, 1939. Sadly missed by her loving husband and family.

SCOTT—In loving memory of Mrs. Annie Scott, who died at her residence, 20 Waverley avenue, Fairview, on Whit Sunday, 31st May, 1925.

TRACEY—10th Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear daughter, Evelyn Margaret (née Stubbs), who died 31st May, 1932. "Abide with me." Inserted by her loving parents, brother, and sisters.

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Blessing of Girl Guides' Flag.—The blessing of the colours of the Holy Cross Troop of Girl Guides, Stillorgan and Mount Merrion, was performed yesterday at St. Teresa's Church, Mount Merrion, by the Rev. M. Blake. After the blessing there was a May Procession, which was followed by Benediction.

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PROGRESS OF BANK BILL

THE STERLING LINK

An amendment to extend the use of the tally system, now permitted to unemployed clubs, to parish councils or other local committees, moved by General Mulcahy (F.G., Dublin, N.E.), was defeated in the Dail on Saturday last during the resumed and final debate on the Committee stage of the Central Bank Bill.

Mr. O'KELLY, Minister for Finance, said that he was advised that a parish was too large a unit, and that, if tallies were permitted, they might begin to circulate from one parish to another and become a form of currency.

In answer to a statement from General Mulcahy that tallies were issued only after the people working the scheme had failed to secure credit from the banks or other institutions, the Minister said he was assured that no application had been made to these institutions.

Mr. DE VALERA said that they would have to be sure that the tallies were worth their face value. In the case of local forgery of the tallies, who would indemnify the traders who held them? If they could have some kind of local currency commission, or a local central bank, to examine matters, the suggestion might not be so dangerous. Instead of asking the Minister to guarantee these local currencies, it would be better to ask the State to make available, under guarantees, funds for the purpose.

Mr. DILLON (Ind., Monaghan) was of opinion that the tally system was neither safe nor prudent. The Government should help local authorities to get short-term bills for such schemes as turf development.

CURRENCY BACKING

The Minister for Finance moved an amendment—which he withdrew for re-examination—to secure that, instead of being unanimous, discussions of the Board relating to security for currency should be by a two-thirds majority.

Mr. DILLON, supporting the principle of unanimity, said that it should be followed by proposals by the Minister put before the House. Dual functions of currency backing were the maintenance of the sterling link, and maintenance of public confidence in the currency itself. The sterling link, which used to discharge both functions, was now one of the most inflated currencies in the world. To depart from it would make trade virtually impossible.

The question of currency backing, continued Mr. Dillon, would be one of the most difficult post-war problems. If a situation arose in which the nations would not accept tangible commodities as backing, it might happen that certain prominent currencies might interlock on agreed relationship, and then they would have to ask themselves did they want to interlock with those currencies or not. Interference with the sterling link might suit certain communities but might ruin the average cattle-jobber.

Mr. McGILLIGAN (F.G.) said that, under the bill, the Dail would have little control over the Board.

Mr. DE VALERA said that, if they got unanimity on the Board it would be sufficient check.

Mr. COSGRAVE (F.G., Cork) said that dissentients might be those who had had no banking experience, and it would be unfortunate to ignore or water down banking representation on the Board.

The Report Stage was fixed for June 10th, and the House adjourned until 3 o'clock to-day.

SAFETY FIRST PARADE

The end of the Children's "Safety First" Month, organised by the Safety First Association of Ireland, was marked by a youth parade on Saturday last. The Lord Mayor (Alderman S. R. Doyle, T.D.) took the salute at the Mansion House. Crowds assembled along the route to watch the parade, whose Chief Marshal was Assistant Commissioner A. J. McWilliam, St. John Ambulance Brigade.

The organisation was in charge of Mr. W. A. Podesta, hon. secretary of the Safety First Association of Ireland, and the committee was representative of all the organisations interested, with Mr. D. Coyle as chairman, Mr. Desmond Rushton vice-chairman, and Miss P. Gough hon. secretary.

DUBLIN DEVELOPMENT

Before the tenth century Dublin really was a fortress and a haven for ships, and the development of the city was marked by a clear distinction north and south of the Liffey. Because of the plentiful water supply assisting many mills on the south side, industrial development was confined to that area during the eighteenth century, while the people on the north side remained farmers. Mr. T. H. Mason, Dublin, gave this information to members of the Geographical Society of Ireland on Saturday, when he conducted them on a tour of the Phœnix Park and the Zoological Gardens. Mr. Mason told the party that the recent industrial development had given a new lease of life to the towns and villages of south and west County Dublin.

SUNSHINE HOME

The valuable contribution made by the Children's Sunshine Home, Stillorgan, to the health and well-being of the nation was mentioned by the Lord Mayor (Alderman P. S. Doyle, T.D.) at the annual general meeting held in the home on Saturday last. He said that the beautiful surroundings and bright atmosphere of the home combined to produce an ideal environment for the development of healthy children and of potential happy and useful citizens.

Dr. Ella Webb presided.

GRESHAM SUPPER DANCE

There was a large attendance at the Gresham Hotel supper dance on Saturday night. It seems that the majority of people who shied at the prospect of walking home from the hotel when transport restrictions first came into force have decided that it is worth a little walk to attend the dance.

Among those present were:—Dr. Liam Delaney, Miss S. Devlin, Miss F. Devlin, Miss E. Kelly, Mr. B. Mitchell, Mr. M. French O'Carroll, Miss J. Behan, Miss P. Walters, Mr. G. H. Gray, Mr. A. Maynard, Miss K. Doolin, Mr. P. Devlin, Miss E. Burchill, Mr. G. Bexley, Miss M. Trainor, Mr. K. Byrne, Miss L. Trainor, Miss R. Judd and Miss S. Meade.

VARIED DANCES

The pupils of the Muriel Catt School of Dancing entertained an audience at the Gresham Hotel on Saturday afternoon with a display of Greek exercises, tap, ballroom and operatic dances. The younger dancers excelled in the "Mime" pieces, which are done in silent motion of the body. "Badminton" and "Kate Greenaway" were among the best performed pieces. Certificates were presented at the close by Miss D. Tyrconnell-Forrest.

A party of Dublin Scots at the Zoo.

NEW LIBYAN CAMPAIGN

By Our Military Correspondent.

AFTER half a year, since the opening of the last Libyan offensive, another has started. But this time the boot is on the other foot it is the Axis Powers who are attacking. The attack is also, it should be noted, being launched in the alleged "off" season. In the ordinary course May, June, July and August are quite rainless in Egypt. June is normally the hottest month—and May 27th is very near June. In this matter of climate the Germans—after more than a year's African experience—are bound to be far less disadvantaged than last year. And there is no reason to think that the climate was ever very trying on the Italians. In the matter of supply and maintenance especially the past year will have proved very instructive. We know, for instance, that large numbers of the Gotha Go 242 glider are in service here. These carry, in addition to a crew of two, either 21 fully equipped soldiers or two tons of material. And we heard some time back of formidable self-propelled artillery, in which hitting-power was put before armour.

MALTA ATTACKS

A word as to the matter of air power would seem to be in season. It will be recalled that for a very considerable time—up to some weeks ago, in point of fact—Malta, literally, got no rest from aerial bombardment. During the past few weeks, however, the raiding has been much less, though anywhere else but in Malta it would be rated as heavy.

It looked at the time as if a determined attempt was being made to at least "ground" the Malta air forces—failing a direct attack on the island itself. It now seems probable, however, that neutralisation of Malta was the only thing aimed at—in order to prevent the island's 'planes from attacking convoys to Libya. In this context, by the way, it is worth noting that Benghazi—i.e., the most easterly harbour—has been the one mostly favoured for convoys. The reason obviously is that many of the most powerful ships of Admiral Cunningham's former fleet are now in the Indian Ocean.

For the present state of affairs—i.e., the strategic initiative in the Mediterranean definitely in Axis hands—the Allies can thank their own Far Eastern "policy" of throwing good money after bad. In other words, had they used in Libya the men, ships and aircraft, which they must have been aware would be too late in Malaya, the Mediterranean would by now have been available as a supply line—at least passably. That this is so is clear enough by reading between the lines of Admiral Cunningham's comprehensive and seamanlike broadcast of May 26th. Nothing vital in the Indian Ocean would have been jeopardised by this course. For example, Ceylon was garrisoned by African native soldiers — excellent, long-service troops and really well suited to the climate and terrain.

How the 8th Army is conditioned to meet the new offensive we cannot tell. Some few days ago a B.B.C. broadcast hinted that General Auchinleck was being interfered with by red tape. Red tape is not exactly the war material one would deliberately select wherewith to counter 6-in. self-propelled artillery. More than that will be needed, because there is every indication that there is something rather big in the offing. It is quite on the cards that the Axis—not expecting any immediate decision in Russia—are taking up the Mediterranean campaign as a possible useful second string to their bow.

The conference at Salzburg on the two last days of April between the Fuehrer and Duce and their military chiefs probably dotted the "i's" and crossed the "t's" of the present enterprise. The Axis Press subsequently stressed the fact that each member had been allotted an appropriate *role* in the operations of 1942—and that goes for Japan as well. Since the Salzburg conference there has been a marked recrudescence of the Italian claims stated against France, all of which, of course, are in the Mediterranean, and the implementation of which would enormously strengthen the Axis in that sea, and, indeed, close it to the Allies.

It is, naturally, altogether too soon—after 24 hours—to elaborate on the actual operations. The Axis aim would seem to be to isolate Gazala and Bir Hakeim and wheel up around Tobruk. In other words, they will first probably seek to restore the position of six months ago. They may have reinforced the Luftwaffe from France, possibly. Aerial reaction to British raids has certainly been less vigorous of late, though that may be explained by reinforcements for the Russian front. Tobruk should be enormously strong by now, while both Gazala and Bir Hakeim have been occupied for several months, and they have repelled the first attacks, at all events. If the railhead has been pushed forward from Mersa Matruh—or even the Italian motor road brought back from Bardia—there should not be any difficulty as to supply. Anyway, those people who wanted a "second front" have got what they were looking for!

DUNLOPS IN FAR EAST

The effect of the Far East war on the position of the Dunlop Rubber Company, Ltd., will be outlined by the Chairman, Sir George Beharrell, at the annual meeting of the Company at the Piccadilly Hotel on June 10th. In a statement on the directors' report and accounts, Sir George says:—"The Japanese factory, which earned substantial profits in the past, is, like the Dunlop factories in France and Germany, lost to us for the duration, and our trading companies in China, Singapore, and the Netherlands East Indies have followed certain of our European companies into inactivity. The rubber plantations are in enemy hands. We cannot look for any profit from any of these properties till after the war, nor do we know in what condition the assets will be when we recover them, nor what compensation we may recover for any damage suffered." Sir George told a Press Association reporter that he was not unduly pessimistic about the outlook, provided the war does not last too long. People were apt to have an exaggerated idea about the scorched earth policy. Millions of rubber trees could not be burned, but the key parts of factories had been destroyed.

Provincial Traction.—Net revenue, £3,077 (against £2,861). Final dividend 4 p.c., making 7 p.c. (same). Forward, £4,626 (against £3,436).

Primitiva Holdings.—Net profit £48,143, against £61,319; dividend 4 p.c. (same) on Ord. for year.

DUBLIN BOMBING RECALLED

CIVIL DEFENCE PARADE

Yesterday, the first anniversary of the North Strand bombing was commemorated by a parade of mass A.R.P. organisations of Dublin North City.

About 5,000 service members paraded from the bombed area at the North Strand to the Central Model Schools, Marlborough street, where the salute was taken by Mr. Seán Moylan, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Defence. On this day exactly a year ago, he said, a number of their citizens had been hurled into eternity and a larger number had received injuries, the marks of which they would carry all their lives.

"Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved relatives and to the injured, and I hope we have proved, and shall prove, that this expression of sympathy is no empty form of words." No neglect or action on the part of the people or State was responsible for this disaster. In the months before the incidents at the North Strand bombs fell, in various parts of Ireland, on seventeen areas. It was a matter for congratulation that for twelve months now no such incident had occurred, and it was to be hoped that before another twelve months had passed the peace that was enjoyed here would be restored to people everywhere. When bombs began to fall there were no grievances in the allied organisations that tackled the work of rescue, healing and restoration, only a desire to carry out the duties which the occasion imposed.

The day's parade was an indication of the growing strength, efficiency and capacity of the various civil defence organisations.

MORE TRAINING

Stressing the necessity for preparation, Mr. Moylan appealed to them to continue their training. In time of crisis untrained helpers were a great danger, a fact which had been demonstrated recently in Cork, when many willing citizens turned out to give a hand in fighting a fire, but instead of being a help were a tremendous hindrance and danger.

Mr. P. J. Hernon, City Manager, said that the parade was a fine muster, a tribute to their spirit of service and a guarantee that, should the occasion arise again, they would be prepared to do their utmost for the citizens.

Also with Mr. Moylan were General Mulcahy, T.D.; Alderman Cormac Breathnach, T.D.; Dr. K. Reddin, Dr. A. T. Boschier-Hayes, County Dublin Divisional Director, Irish Red Cross Society; J. P. McNamara, Assistant Commissioner, St. John Ambulance Brigade; T. P. Kenny, G. Stokes, R. S. Laurie and S. O'Donovan, Area Wardens. Chief Marshal D. Hurley was in charge of the parade.

Memorial Masses were celebrated at St. Agatha's Church, North William street, and at St. Laurence O'Toole's Church, Seville place.

STOCK MARKET REPORTS

RAIL PROFITS TAKEN

Markets on the Dublin Stock Exchange have been rather hesitant during the past week owing to the uncertain outlook. Rails were still the main centre of interest, and especially Great Northern issues. It was the general belief that this company was in a very satisfactory position in regard to coal supplies, so that the announcement of a curtailment of train services came as a shock to most people. Holders who had paper profits were inclined to turn these into cash, and this liquidation, coupled with nervous selling, caused a sharp fall in prices. Towards the week-end the market assumed a steadier appearance.

Minor feature was the buying of Dublin Transport Ordinary shares up to 18/-. The omnibus traffics just published were very satisfactory, and would lend one to believe that this company is carrying its normal number of passengers, if not more than before the scaling down in services. The reduced services should mean a reduction in expenditure.

Home Government Funds show an easier tendency in places. As a new loan is expected in the near future, the tendency is to await the terms.

The Irish Industrial group has been far from active, but the undertone is fairly firm. Sunbeam Wolsey Ord. were raised sharply to 40/- and still took buyers at this level. This company is said to be in a favourable position as regards supplies. Alliance Gas Ord. are steadier at 18/6, for, although the coal situation is serious, the general opinion is that these shares are one of the best holdings for those in a position to take a long view. The company is very sound financially, and any improvement in coal supplies would bring a quick recovery in the price of the shares.

CHANGES ON WEEK

	RISES. May 22.	May 29.	
Agreement Loan.	109½	109¾	+¼
Exchequer Bonds	110½	111	+½
4% Land Bonds..	115¾	116¼	+½
3½% Conversion Loan	106½	106½	+½
3½% Dublin Corp. (1955-80)	103½	104	+½
Hibernian Bank..	42/6	43/6	+1/0
Munster - Leinster Bank	103/9	108/0	+4/3
Provincial Bank..	38/6	40/0	+1/6
G.S.R. Pref.	17½	18	+½
Dublin Transport Ord.	17/1½	18/0	+0/10½
Dock Milling Pf.	22/3	22/6	+0/3
Armstrong (A.) Ord.	8/3	8/9	+0/6
Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord.	5/6	6/9	+0/3
Irish Sugar Pf.	24/7½	25/0	+0/4½
Irish Times 5½% Pref.	20/0	22/0	+2/0
Stephen's Green Cinemas	1/6	1/9	+0/3
Sunbeam Wolsey Ord.	38/6	40/0	+1/6
Sunbeam Wolsey Pref.	31/0	32/0	+1/0
Turner & Newall Ord.	65/4½	67/3	+1/10½
	FALLS. May 22.	May 29.	
3rd Nat. Loan...	114	113½	-½
Conversion Loan.	109½	108½	-1
Consols	83½	82½	-1
War Loan	104½	104⅛	-⅜
Dublin Corp. 4% (1960-85)	108½	108	-½
Bank of Ireland.	330	328	-2
National Bank....	39/6	38/6	-1/0
G.N.R. Ord.	23½	20½	-2½
G.N.R. Pref.	40½	39	-1½
G.N.R. Deb.	79½	78	-1½
G.S.R. Ord.	21	15	-6
G.S.R. Gtd.	38	36½	-1½
Guinness Ord.	91/3	91/0	-0/3
Todd Burns Ord.	10/9	10/6	-0/3
Shell Transport Ord.	46/3	45/0	-1/3
Cement Ord.	35/0	34/0	-1/0
Clondalkin Paper Ord.	6/0	5/9	-0/3
Goodbody Pref.	21/6	20/6	-1/0
Irish Tanners Ord.	9/9	9/6	-0/3
B.A.T. Ord.	78/9	78/6	-0/3
Imp. Tobacco Ord.	123/9	122/9	-1/0
Courtaulds Ord....	34/6	33/9	-0/9

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Double for Brackenstown

MORE conclusively than before was it made evident that racing at Phoenix Park can be carried on successfully under present-day restrictions when, on Saturday, there was a big mustering at the conveniently-situated course.

The Brooke Plate, the principal two years' old race, was won by Suntop after a dour tussle with Miss Roney, only a neck separating the pair. An even closer finish was that for the Amateur Riders' Race, in which the judge was unable to separate Blue Skies and Gay Primrose. A neck was again the verdict in favour of the winners of the Finglas Plate and Foxrock Handicap. The Gripper made all the running in the Farmleigh Hurdle, and, with Suntop completed a double for the Brackenstown stable. Details:—

3.0—**FAIRVIEW T.Y.O. PLATE,** £100. 5f.
Up Hill, b. f., by Pay-Up—Song of the Hills (Lt.-Col. E. Shirley). 8-10
Joe Canty 1
Organ Grinder, 9-0 ..... J. Moylan 2
Gay Sheila, 8-10 ..... E. M. Quirke 3
Also ran:—Leinster Monarch, 9-0 (M. Wing); Charlie's Wain, 9-0 (G. Wells); Corbawn Lad, 9-0 (W. Barrett); Scot's Guard, 9-0 (J. Ussher); Lonella, 8-10 (T. Burns); Chamouni, 8-10 (P. Canty); Really, 8-10 (H. Holmes). (Winner trained by M. J. Hartigan.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. UP HILL, 4 to 1 Gay Sheila, 5 to 1 each Organ Grinder and Leinster Monarch, 10 to 1 each Scots Guard and Charlie's Wain, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 6/-; places, 2/6, 5/6, 3/-.

2l.; neck. Really 4, Scots Guard 5, Lonella 6, Leinster Monarch 7. 64 1-5 s.

3.30—**FARMLEIGH HURDLE,** £100. 2m.
The Gripper, ch. g., by The Carpenter—Morceau (Mr. W. M. Shawe Taylor). a, 12-7 ..... T. McNeill 1
Point d'Atout, a, 11-12 ..... D. Quirke 2
Funny, 6, 10-11 ..... T. Hyde 3
Also ran—Submarine, 4, 11-0 (W. O'Grady); Persian Rose, a, 10-7 (J. J. Hill); Tolago, 5, 10-10 (J. Brogan); Slieveardagh, a, 10-0 (C. Sleator); Golden Gobbel, a, 9-9 (Mr. L. McMorrow); Pucka Man, 6, 9-10 (D. Moore); Sea Bachelor, a, 9-4 (P. Mulligan); Ya Ya, a, 9-9 (Mr. Tully). (Winner trained by H. Ussher.)

Betting—5 to 2 agst. THE GRIPPER, 5 to 1 each Tolago and Slieveardagh, 6 to 1 each Pucka Man and Funny, 7 to 1 Point d'Atout, 10 to 1 Submarine, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 12/-; places, 5/-, 5/-, 5/-.

½l.; ½l. Slieveardagh 4. Pucka Man 5, Tolago 6, Sea Bachelor 7. 4m. 4 4-5s.

4.0—**FINGLAS 3-Y.O. PLATE,** £100. 1m.
Coromyth, b. c. by Coronach—Diomyth (Mr. D. Frame). 9-0 ..... G. Wells 1
Artist's Island, 9-0 ..... T. Burns 2
Cherry Pie, 8-10 ..... E. M. Quirke 3
Also ran—Cloghran, 9-0 (T. McNeill); Carlock, 8-8 (E. Mathias), 9-0 (J. Morahan); Dun Angus, 9-0 (J. Moylan); Sword Knot, 8-10 (Joe Canty); Mahboubeh, 8-10 (W. Barrett); Fairlet, 8-10 (P. Canty); Manderlay, 8-10 (T. P. Burns); Dias Ojos, 8-7 (Joe Canty); Cornfield, 8-6 (T. Burns). (Winner trained by W. Byrne).

Betting—2 to 1 agst. COROMYTH, 4 to 1 each Artist's Island and Cherry Pie, 6 to 1 each Dun Angus and Mahboubeh, 8 to 1 Sword Knot, 100 to 8 any other. **Tote**—Win, 4/-; places, 2/6, 3/-, 3/6.

Neck; ½l. Biff Grimes 4, Lordi 5, Khazar 6. 66 4-5 secs.

5.0—**FITZWILLIAM PLATE,** £100. 1 m.
Blue Skies, gr. c. by Trimdon—Blue Mermaid (Mr. R. G. Duggan). 3, 10-12 ..... Mr. P. J. Lenehan
Gay Primrose, gr. or ro. f. by Prestissimo —Parched Corn (Mr. D. Malone). 3, 10-7 ..... Mr. L. McMorrow
Aughamore, 5, 11-8 ..... Mr. W. Byrne 3
Also ran—Silver Fizz, a, 11-13 (Mr. J. R. Jackson); Sugar Lump, a, 11-9 (Mr. G. P. Dodd); Lease and Lend, 4, 11-3 (Mr. M. Byrne); Easter Link, 5, 11-8 (Mr. J. R. Cox); Abbeyderg, 5, 11-3 (Mr. P. T. Lyons); Cover Note, 6, 11-8 (Mr. P. P. Horan); Tonlan Boy, 6, 11-5 (Mr. P. P. Smyth); Path of Glory, 3, 10-12 (Mr. J. Lenehan); Queen Boadicea, 5, 11-8 (Mr. R. Sleator. (Blue Skies trained by R. More O'Ferrall, Gay Primrose by Owner.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Aughamore, 3 to 1 each GAY PRIMROSE and BLUE SKIES, 5 to 1 Queen Boadicea, 8 to 1 Cover Note, 100 to 8 others. **Tote**—Win; Blue Skies 3/6, Gay Primrose 5/-; places, Blue Skies 3/6, Gay Primrose 3/6, Aughamore 3/-.

Dead-heat; ½l. Queen Boadicea 4, Easter Link 5. Lease and Lend 6, Silver Fizz 7. 2 m. 25 2-5 secs.

5.30—**FOXROCK HANDICAP.** £100. 5f.
Rothesay, b. f., by Tartan — Night of Wonder (Mrs. P. J. Beary). 4, 7-2 (carr. 7-4) ..... G. Cooney 1
Woodside, 5, 9-6 ..... Joe Canty 2
Experto Crede, 3, 8-0 ..... J. Tyrrell 3
Also ran—Avon Port, 3, 8-9 (P. Fagan); Ballinter, 3, 8-13 (T. Burns); Warthrift, 3, 8-9 (P. Canty); Great Sacrifice, 3, 8-9 (M. Wing); China Tealeaf, 3, 8-5 (J. Moylan); Columbia, 4, 8-2 (T. P. Burns); Tumble, 5, 8-0 (W. Howard); Syria, 3, 8-0 (G. Wells); Dead Level, a, 7-0 (A. Wing); Coltoi, 3, 7-7 (R. Hardwidge). (Winner trained by P. J. Beary.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Woodside, 4 to 1 ROTHESAY, 5 to 1 Columbia, 7 to 1 each Experto Crede and Dead Level, 100 to 8 others. **Tote**—Win, 10/6; places, 3/6, 3/-, 4/6.

Neck.; ¾l. Columbia 4, China Tealeaf 5, Coltoi 6. Great Sacrifice 7. 64 2-5 secs.

TOTE DOUBLE — Coromyth and Blue Skies, £1 10/6; Coromyth and Gay Primrose, £1 5/-; 276 winning tickets. Pool, £497 5/-; days pool, £3,817 9/-. Last year £3,342 12/-.

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525 YARDS HURDLES—Kylock Regent (1) 2/1, 1; White Wyandotte (3), 2/1, 2; Kilcush Lemon (6), 4/1, 3; Knockea Ration (5), 5/1, 4 (and did not finish). 3l.; distance. 32.30.

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360 YARDS—The Ginkin (6), 3/1, 1; Mighty Hand (1), 4/6, 2; Heir to Surplus (2), 6/1, 3; Clonarney Border (3), 8/1, 4; Michael Watters (5), 8/1, 5. Short head; 2l. 21.28.

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525 YARDS—Sheila's Pet (5), 8/1, 1; Posh Kitty (2), 5/1, 2; Keep Sowing (1), 4/1, 3; Sonny's Fancy (6), 5/2, 4; Lime Tree Princess (3), 5/1, 5; Lonestar Queen (4), 1/1, 6. 3l.; 2l. 31.77.

525 YARDS—Friendly Girl (2), 5/1, 1; Bohan's Gift (6), 3/1, 2; Kylock Hope (1), 3/1, 3; Birdee Lee (4), 4/1, 4; Hidden Duck (5), 4/1, 5; Special Music (3), 6/4, 6. 3l.; 4l. 31.70.

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8.0—**525 YARDS**—Fireproof King, Look At Him, Speedy Hand, Late Rally, Model Sun, Battle On, Gents Excuse Me, Keerie's Champion.

525 YARDS HURDLES—Heir To Surplus, Bold Rope, Bold Reply, Shutters Up, Williamstown Skipper, Knockea Ration.

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525 YARDS—Tinokelly Cream, Tree Fisher, Loo:: Together, Waltham Watch, Brilliant Sportsman, Outlet's Charm, Bramley, Clonmanto Playboy.

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Irish Derby Final.—Mr. Crowley's Unctershaun Rinc (Creamery Border—Roisin Dingle) (2) (1/2). 1; Maddoxs Muster—Hills (1) (6/1). 2; Bluehill Creamery (5) (4/1). 3. Also ran—Cottage Luck (4/1), Decimal Plus (4/1), Sheehy's Star (10/1). 4l.; 2l. 30.22 secs.

SALISBURY RESULTS

1.30—**Bold Richard** (W. Stott), 7-2, fav., 1; **Love's Reverie,** 10-1, 2; **Siamek,** 100-6, 3. Seventeen ran. (Anderson, 11.; head.

2.0—**Tipstaff** (Gordon Richards), 1-10, fav., 1; **Fez,** 20-1, 2; **Amoya c.,** 20-1, 3. Nine ran. (F. Darling.) 4l.; 1l.

2.30 (Div. 1)—**Victory Torch** (M. Beary), 6-13, fav., 1; **Magdalen,** 100-8, 2; **Sorrel,** 100-6, 3. Fourteen ran. (Sheehan, Carlow.

3.0—**Shahpoor** (Beary), 8-13, fav., 1; **Massowa,** 100-8, 2; **Tribonian,** 7-4, 3. Three ran. (Lawson.) 1¼l.; 2l.

3.30—**Lanceweed** (Richardson), 8-1, 1; **Valentine II.,** 13-8, 2; **Nyland Brums,** 7-2, 3. Twenty ran. (V. Hobbs.) 3l.; 2l.

4.0—**Dancing Matilda** (J. Sirett), 20-1, 1; **Strapete c.,** 6-4, fav., 2; **Korinthos,** 10-1, 3. Fifteen ran. (R. Waugh.); same.

4.30—**Top Coat** (E. Gardner), 100-9, 1; **Mazarin,** 11-10, fav., 2; **Reversion,** 100-8, 3. Ten ran. (Blagrave.) Head; same.

5.0—**Haze** (K. Mullins), 9-4, fav., 1; **Cheque Book,** 3-1, 2; **Snow King,** 13-2, 3. Seventeen ran. (V. Smyth.) 3l.; ¾l.

G.A.A. RESULTS

Parnell Park—Erin's Hopes 5-7, Army 1-4.
New Ross—Kilkenny 5-5, Wexford 4-4.
Birr—Dublin Army Offaly 1-4.
Cork—Limerick 4-4, Waterford 2-5.
Drogheda—Dublin 3-5, Meath 1-10; Louth 3-8, Dublin 3-5.

Dublin Cyclist Fatally Injured.—Mrs. Mary Kennedy (38), Ashford street, Oxmanstown road, Dublin, was fatally injured as a result of a collision with a bus while she was cycling along Manor street, Dublin, on Saturday.

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